

February 17, 1976

Mr. Dennis C. Temple
Filtrol Corporation
3250 East Washington Blvd.
Los Angeles, California 90023

Re: Emerald Mine #43-023-001
Sec. 28, T. 14 S., R. 11 W.
Juab County, Utah

Dear Mr. Temple:

Thank you for your letter of February 10th, requesting an amendment to the "Notice of Intent" for the Emerald Mine reclamation plan.

Your new schedule for reseeding appears to be a viable plan, and we heartily approve of this amendment. One problem which could exist with your plans as outlined in your letter, is the time of seeding you have planned. Apparently you plan to reseed in the early summer. I strongly suggest that seeding be delayed until the late fall (October or November). Experience on the west desert range has shown that fall and winter moisture are essential to successful seed germination.

I hope that you can delay the planned seeding until this time. Thank you for cooperating in this matter.

Sincerely,

DIVISION OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING

RONALD W. DANIELS
COORDINATOR OF MINED LAND
RECLAMATION

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CIRCULATE TO:

DIRECTOR
PETROLEUM ENGINEER
MINE COORDINATOR
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

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